# COMP 2140 Assignment 5: BST, 2-3 Trees and Heap Sort

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# How to Get Help

Your course instructor is helpful: Email me at Helen.Cameron@cs.umanitoba.ca or come to my office hours at 2:30–3:30 p.m. Mon/Wed/Fri or 4:00–4:30 p.m. Tues/Thurs in E2 477 EITC (or by appointment). For email, please remember to put "[comp2140]" in the subject and use a meaningful subject, and to send from your UofM email account.

Course discussion groups on UM Learn: A discussion group for this assignment is available in the COMP 2140 course site on UM Learn (click on "Discussions" under "Communications"). Post questions and comments related to Assignment 5 there, and I will respond. Please do not post solutions, not even snippets of solutions there, or anywhere else. I strongly suggest that you read the assignment discussion group for helpful information.

Computer science help centre: The staff in the help centre can help you (but not give you assignment solutions!). See their website at http://www.cs.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate/computer-science-help-centre.php for location and hours. You can also email them at helpctr@cs.umanitoba.ca.

# **Programming Standards**

When writing code for this course, follow the programming standards, available on this course's website on UMLearn. Failure to do so will result in the loss of marks.

#### General Overview of Assignment 5

Assignment 5 consists of three parts:

- Part A asks you to modify the solution to Assignment 4 to use a binary search tree, rather than a hash table (see details below in "Assignment Questions: Part A Binary Search Trees").
- Part B asks you to answer some hand-written questions about 2-3 trees (see details below in "Assignment Questions: Part B 2-3 Trees").
- Part C asks you to complete a nearly-complete application that uses heap sort to sort (see details below in "Assignment Questions: Part C Heaps").

Since the assignment consists of three parts, the hand-in instructions have changed — make sure that you follow the hand-in instructions exactly.

# Assignment Questions: Part A — Binary Search Trees

In this question, you must modify my solution to Assignment 4. My solution will become available on Friday November 25 after 11:00 p.m. (i.e., after the dropbox for Assignment 4 closes). It will be available on UM Learn in the same place you got the Assignment 4 question. You must change the solution to use a binary search tree implementation inside the Table class (instead of a hash table implementation) — that

is, a Table is a binary search tree, and the variable records are therefore stored in a binary search tree (still called a "Table", though).

Note that your solution must run on the same input files that you used for Assignment 4.

# What must be changed in the Table class:

- You need to add a BSTNode class, which can either be a private class inside the Table class (with public instance variables) or a public class outside the Table class (with private instance variables). Note that you cannot use "Node" for the class name because that name is already in use as a linked-list node for the Stack class; therefore, use "BSTNode".
- The instance variables inside the Table class must be changed and the constructor updated to handle the new instance variable(s). Note that the constructor no longer needs any parameters.
- The bodies of the public methods must change to use a binary search tree, not a hash table. (But the headers of the public methods must not be changed). Note that method printAll() must print the variable records using an inorder traversal.
- The private hash method should be deleted.

#### Outside of the Table class and its associated BSTNode class, only the following may be changed:

- The name of the file must be changed to A5PartA<yourName><yourStudentID>.java and the name
  of the application class must be changed to match it.
- The call to the Table constructor in method processAllAssignmentStatements() must be changed to pass no arguments (because the constructor should no longer have any parameters).
- The header titles printed out in main() must be changed to titles appropriate to Assignment 5 Part A (i.e., not Assignment 4).

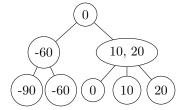
## What must NOT be changed:

- Nothing in the application class should be changed, except as noted above.
- The headers of the public methods in the Table class must NOT be changed (except the constructor must lose its parameters, of course).
- The Expression class, the Stack class, the Node class, and the Variable class must not be changed.

## Assignment Questions: Part B — 2-3 Trees

Insert -80, -5, 8, 4, and 7 (in that order) into the following 2-3 tree. Each successive insertion should start with the result of the previous insertion. For each insertion:

- State what  $L_{search}$  was (i.e., what is the value in the leaf at which the search ended?).
- Draw the 2-3 tree that results from the insertion.



Note: To draw a 2-3 tree, draw the leaves in a row first, leaving enough space for all the levels above the leaves. Then draw the parents of the leaves in a row, centering each parent above its children. Continue drawing the nodes on a level in a row, centering each parent above its children, level by level, up the tree to the root.

You must create a .pdf file containing your solution to this question. You can either create it electronically or you can hand-write your solution and scan it in. Either way, your answers must be clearly legible and well-organized so that the marker can easily mark it. This .pdf file must be named A5PartB

# Assignment Questions: Part C — Heaps

File A5PartC.java contains a nearly-complete application that reads in lists and sorts them using heap sort (which uses a heap). It uses the input file inputFile5C.txt (the file name is hard-coded into the application). Both A5PartC.java and inputFile5C.txt are available on UM Learn where you got this assignment.

You must complete the program by adding the bodies of a few methods in the Heap class:

- leftChild( int i ): This method returns the index of the left child of heapArray[i]. It does not do any checking if the left child exists, it simply computes the correct index for the left child.
- rightChild( int i ): This method returns the index of the right child of heapArray[i]. It does not do any checking if the right child exists, it simply computes the correct index for the right child.
- deleteMax(): This method removes and returns the highest priority item in the heap (in this heap, highest priority is the largest value). It should use at least one of the other Heap methods, so look at them to see which one(s) might be useful.

Finally, you must change the name of the file to A5PartC<yourName><yourStudentID>.java and you must change the name of the application class to match it.

## Hand-in Instructions

Go to COMP2140 in UM Learn, then click "Dropbox" under "Assessments" at the top. You will find a dropbox folder called "Assignment 5". (If you cannot see the assignment dropbox, follow the directions under "Honesty Declaration" on Assignment 1.) Click the link and follow the instructions. Please note the following:

- Submit ONE .zip file only. The .zip file must contain at most TWO .java files (your solutions to Part A and Part C) and ONE .pdf file (your solution to Part B), and nothing else. The .zip file must be named A5<your last name><your student id>.zip (e.g., A5Cameron1234567.zip).
- Please do not submit anything else.
- You can submit as many times as you like, but only the most recent submission is kept.
- We only accept homework submissions via UM Learn. Please DO NOT try to email your homework to the instructor or TA or markers it will not be accepted.
- We reserve the right to refuse to grade the homework or to deduct marks if you do not follow instructions.
- Assignments become late immediately after the posted due date and time. Late assignments will be accepted up to 49 hours after that time, at a penalty of 2% per hour or portion thereof. After 49 hours, an assignment is worth 0 marks and will no longer be accepted.